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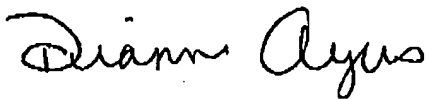
The following items were incorrectly debited to our September 2006 account statement for 24-0025:

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09/346,559	9/19	2	\$500	D

The above-referenced case was originally appealed in 2004 and we were charged for the appeal brief in February of 2004. Subsequently, the examiner issued an Office Action withdrawing the finality. Our attorneys promptly filed a supplemental appeal brief in response. Several status requests were issued and this appeal was finally "re-instated" in September 2006. The transmittal that the attorney sent on September 14 indicated that we already paid the appeal brief fee, however, our deposit account was charged for this "re-instatement". Please refund our deposit account in the amount of \$500.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,



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